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SC/Serial No. 09/441,236)	Examiner: Dr. Paul R. Lintz
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Filed: November 16, 1999)	
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For: COMPUTER AIDED)	AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 115
MAINTENANCE AND)	<u>(37 C.F.R. § 1.115)</u>
REPAIR INFORMATION)	
SYSTEM FOR EQUIPMENT)	
SUBJECT TO)	Santa Rosa, CA 95405
REGULATORY COMPLIANCE)	February 13, 2001

Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in reply to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed on October 13, 2000. A petition for a one-month extension of time accompanies this Amendment. Consequently, the period for response is extended through February 13, 2001.

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejects claims 1-7 based on the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting in view of the claims in parent U.S. Patent No.

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